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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney's Docket No. HEND-0025DIV

In re Application of:  
Henderson, Daniel A.

Serial No.: Unknown

Filed: Concurrently herewith

For: Method and Apparatus for an Improved Paging Receiver and System

Art Unit: Unknown

Examiner: Unknown

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**BOX DIVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents

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**TRANSMITTAL - DIVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

The anticipated classification of this application is: unknown.

Prior Attorney Docket: 0217MH-23513C35

Prior Art Unit: 2645

Prior Application Examiner: Unknown.

This is a request for filing a Divisional Patent Application, related to an existing patent application no. 10/171,373, filed 5-1-02, entitled "Method and Apparatus for an Improved Paging Receiver and System".

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I certify that this Divisional Application along all documents referred to as being enclosed is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, "Express Mail" on the date indicated below and is addressed to: **BOX DIVISIONAL APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, POB 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.**

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Name of Depositing Person

October 22, 2003  
Date of Deposit

Reene Jones  
Signature of Depositing Person

Enclosed is a true copy of the prior complete application as filed, including the specification (with claims), drawings, declaration and power of attorney showing the signature, and the amendment filed up to this point.

The inventor named in the divisional application is the same as the prior application.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a division of application 10/171,373, filed 5-1-02, pending"

Please cancel claims 1-17 and 19-25 in the parent application before calculating the filing fee. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$385.00 as payment for the Application Filing Fee (23 total claims with 2 independent claims).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any fee overpayment relating to the filing of the above-referenced Patent Application and all documents relating thereto to: Deposit Account No. 18-1680.

A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 23, 2003



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. **0317MH-23513C35**  
Prior Application Serial No.: **08/726,024**  
First Named Inventor: **Daniel A. Henderson**

Examiner:  
Art Unit:

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Sir: This is a request for filing a ☒ **continuation**  
☐ **continuation-in-part**  
☐ **divisional**

application under **37 CFR 1.53(b)**, of pending prior application serial no. **08/726,024** filed on **4 OCTOBER 1996**, for **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED PAGING RECEIVER AND SYSTEM**.

1. ☒ Enclosed is a complete copy of the prior application **including the oath or declaration as originally filed** and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy. (See No. 14 for declaration.)
2. ☐ New formal drawings are enclosed.
3. ☒ A preliminary amendment.
4. ☒ Also enclosed: Return Postcard
5. ☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 ☐ is enclosed ☒ was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 CFR 1.28(a)).
6. ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 2-17 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting the following sentence before the first line: "This is a ☒ Continuation, ☐ Continuation-in-Part or ☐ Division of application serial no. **08/726,024**, filed **4 October 1996**; which claims priority of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. **60/005,029**, filed **6 October 1995**, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Improved Paging Receiver and System" and which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. **08/177,851**, filed **5 January 1994**, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Enhancing the Efficient Communication of Information in an Alphanumeric Paging Network,"
8. ☐ Priority of application serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has been filed in prior application serial no. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

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9. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION  
LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT NOW

Basic Fee	\$370.00
Total Filing Fee:	\$370.00

10. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and any additional fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1060. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

11. ☒ A check in the amount of \$370.00 is enclosed.

12. \_\_\_\_\_ The prior application is assigned of record to

13. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to Melvin A. Hunn.

- a. ☒ The power of attorney appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. \_\_\_\_\_ A new power of attorney is enclosed (*adding prosecution attorneys*).
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ Since the power of attorney does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- d. ☒ Address all future communication to: **Melvin A. Hunn, Esq., HILL & HUNN LLP, 201 Main Street, Suite 1440, Fort Worth, Texas 76102.**

14. ☒ I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application serial no. **08/726,024** as originally filed on **4 OCTOBER 1996**.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his or her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

1 May 2002

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\_\_\_\_ Filed under §1.34(a)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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<b>Filed: Concurrently herewith</b>	)	

**For: Method & Apparatus for an Improved Paging Receiver & System**

**NONPUBLICATION REQUEST  
UNDER 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 USC 122(b).

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Date: October 23, 2003**



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0317MH-23513C35

In re Application of:

DANIEL A. HENDERSON

Serial No. 08/726,024

Filed: 04 OCTOBER 1996

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED PAGING RECEIVER  
AND SYSTEM

CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 USC SECTION 122(b)(2)(B)(i) OF NO  
FOREIGN FILINGS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

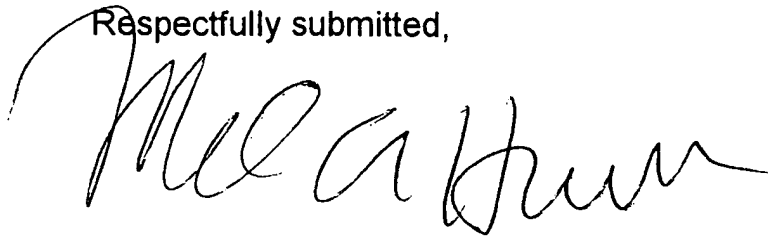
Sir:

Applicant hereby certifies (through counsel) that the above-identified application filed herewith has not, and will not, be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multi-lateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen (18) months after filing; therefore Applicant requests that the subject application not be published under 35 USC Section 122(b)(1).

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</b> 37 CFR § 1.8(a)	
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Date of Deposit: <u>1 May 2002</u>	By: <u>[Signature]</u>

If any additional fees are required, please charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1060.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Melvin A. Hunn". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "M" and a long, sweeping underline.

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